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Lafayette, Louisiana  
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Hon. James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
Post Office Box 94275  
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Re: U TUSC RA SUD  
20350 TUSC RA SUD  
L TUSC RA SUD  
21100 TUSC RA SUD  
Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY** for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the above referenced units, all in Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, for which rules and regulations were established and drilling and production units were created for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate by the 1046-A and 1046-D Series of Office of Conservation Orders, including the units designated U TUSC RA SUD, 20350 TUSC RA SUD, L TUSC RA SUD and 21100 TUSC RA SUD:

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize the BP America Production Company – Ivy Major No. 5 Well as substitute unit well for the U TUSC RA SUD, 20350 TUSC RA SUD and L TUSC RA SUD, said well located as shown on the plats attached hereto, in accordance with the spacing provisions of the 1046-A Series of Office of Conservation Orders and LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).

2. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize the BP America Production Company – Ivy Major No. 5 Well as alternate unit well for the 21100 TUSC RA SUD, said well located as shown on the plat attached hereto, in accordance with the spacing provisions of the

1046-D Series of Office of Conservation Orders and LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).

3. To permit the operator to produce the unit allowable for the 21100 TUSC RA SUD from the existing unit well, the proposed alternate unit well, or both at its option.

4. To find that the aforementioned well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the reservoir covered by each of the subject units which cannot be so drained by any existing well within said units.

5. Except to the extent herein designated, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of the 1046-A and 1046-D Series of Office of Conservation Orders and the units created thereby.

6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in 1046-A Series of Office of Conservation Orders, and redefined by Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-14, effective January 12, 2000.

The 20,350' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-15, effective January 12, 2000, and was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-38, effective April 6, 2004.

The Lower Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046, effective September 6, 1978, and most recently redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-31, effective July 23, 2002.

The 21,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-D, effective June 2, 1998.

In the opinion of the applicant, the drilling, designation and use of the proposed Ivy Major No. 5 Well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain the subject units that it will serve and such designation and use will not cause harm or injury to others. The proposed designation and use of such well should increase efficient recovery of the contents of the subject reservoirs and promote orderly development of the field.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made

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to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$3,020.00 **made payable to the Office of Conservation** and representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

LISKOW & LEWIS

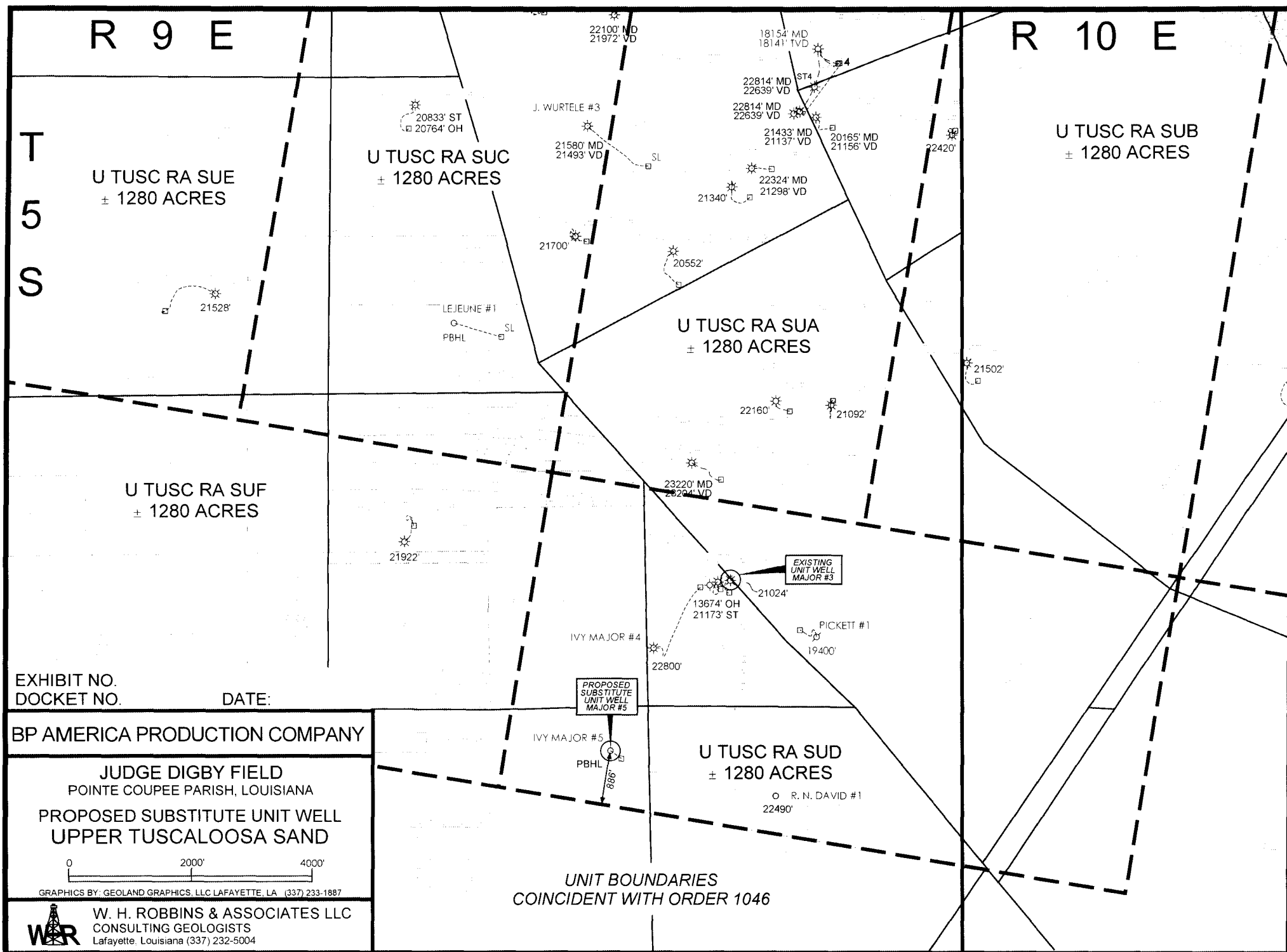


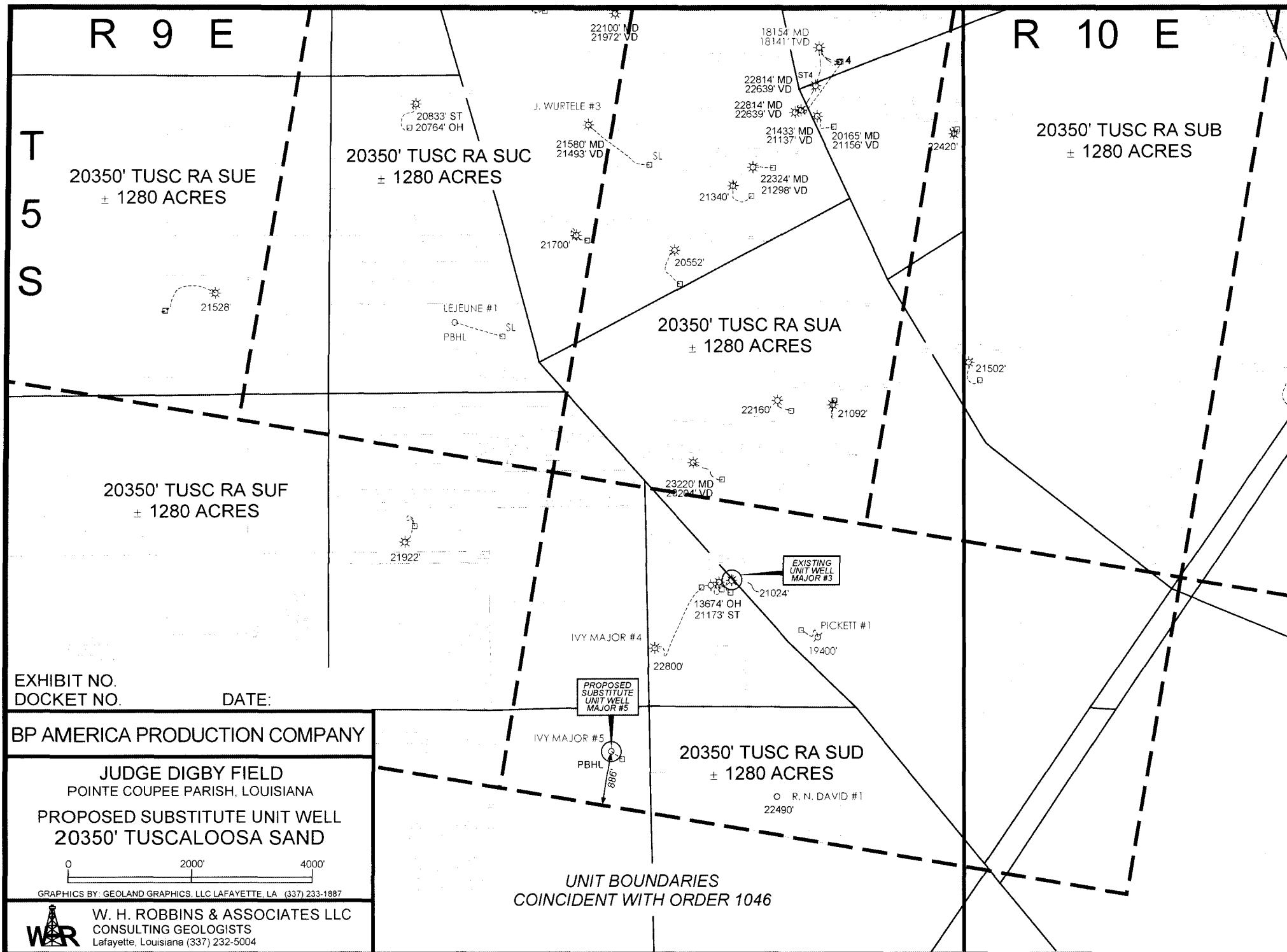
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cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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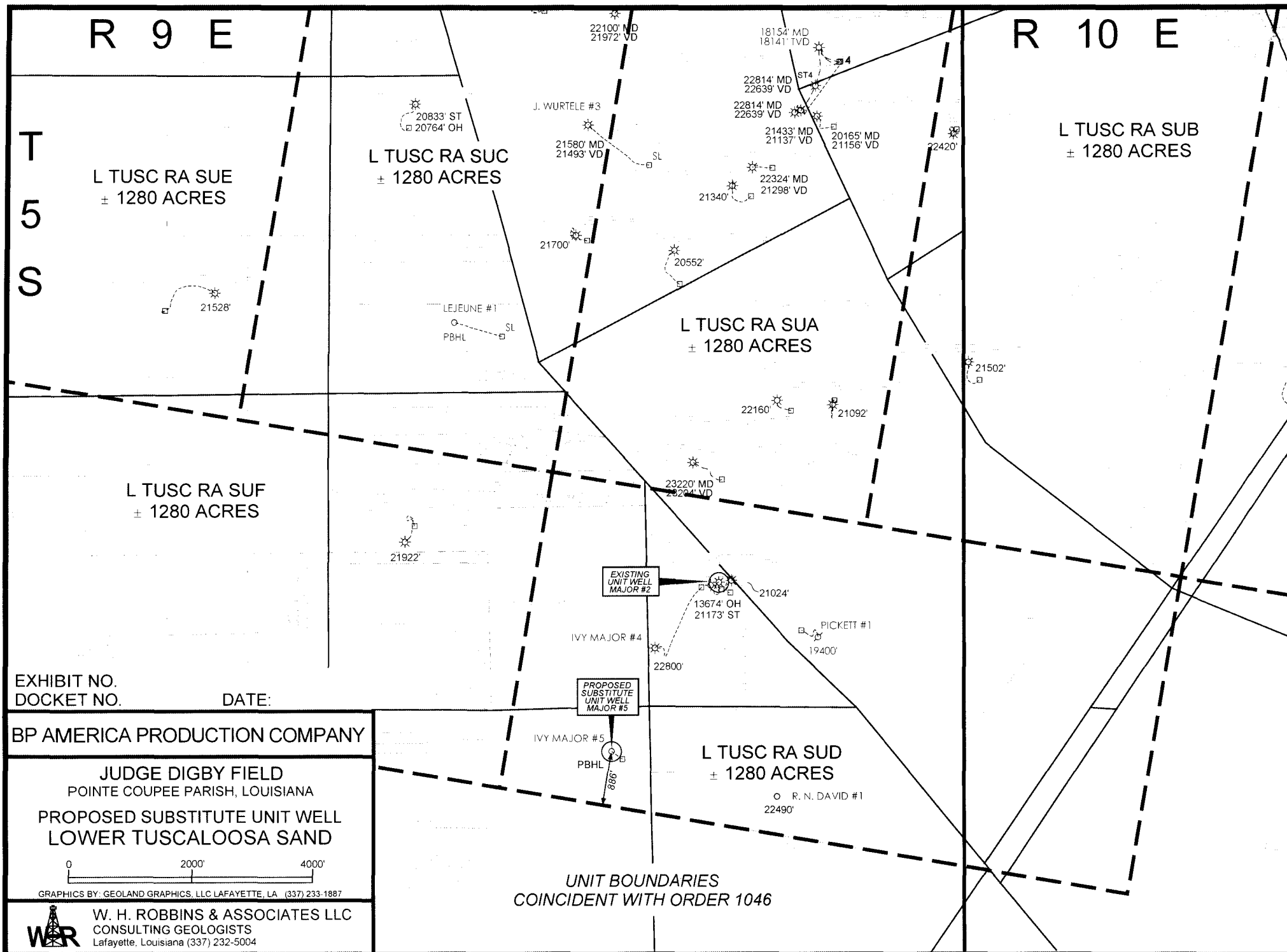


EXHIBIT NO.  
DOCKET NO. DATE:

BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY

JUDGE DIGBY FIELD  
POINTE COUPEE PARISH, LOUISIANA  
PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELL  
LOWER TUSCALOOSA SAND

0 2000' 4000'

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